# BEARFACTS 1991 – 2001 Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta (MSA) [42060]

Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta is one of 363 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) in the nation. Its 2001 population of 401,671 ranked 113th in the nation.

## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2001 Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$32,632. This PCPI ranked 43rd in the United States and was 107 percent of the national average, \$30,574. The 2001 PCPI reflected an increase of 1.1 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 national change was 2.4 percent. In 1991 the PCPI of Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta was \$23,334 and ranked 18th in the United States. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.4 percent.

### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2001 Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta had a total personal income (TPI) of \$13,107,358\*. This TPI ranked 100th in the United States. In 1991 the TPI of Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta was \$8,748,164\* and ranked 87th in the United States. The 2001 TPI reflected an increase of 1.5 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 national change was 3.5 percent. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.6 percent.

### COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta. In 2001 net earnings accounted for 59.3 percent of TPI (compared with 61.8 in 1991); dividends, interest, and rent were 29.7 percent (compared with 28.3 in 1991); and personal current transfer receipts were 11.1 percent (compared with 9.8 in 1991). From 2000 to 2001 net earnings increased 0.9 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 0.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 9.2 percent. From 1991 to 2001 net earnings increased on average 3.7 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.4 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta increased from \$8,937,506\* in 2000 to \$9,073,667\* in 2001, an increase of 1.5 percent. The 2000-2001 national change was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1991 estimate of \$6,231,802\* to the 2001 estimate was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.8 percent.

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<sup>\*</sup>Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.